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For: WATER DISPERSIBLE, SALT  
SENSITIVE NON-WOVEN  
MATERIALS :

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## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

This *Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement* is filed in response to the *Official Action* of September 11, 2006, wherein it was noted that copies of related, co-pending patent applications, i.e., U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 11/120,372, filed May 3, 2005, entitled "Salt-Sensitive Vinyl Acetate Binder Compositions and Fibrous Articles Incorporating Same", of *R. Farwaha et al.*; U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 11/120,381, filed May 3, 2005, entitled "Salt-Sensitive Binder Compositions with N-Alkyl Acrylamide and Fibrous Articles Incorporating Same", of *R. Farwaha et al.*; and U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 11/339,216, filed January 25, 2006, entitled "Salt-Sensitive Binders for Nonwoven Webs and Method of Making Same", of *R. Farwaha et al.*, cited in an *Information Disclosure Statement* filed May 5, 2006, were not submitted as required by 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2)(iii). Copies of these pending applications are now enclosed.

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/761,682, filed January 21, 2004, entitled "Salt Sensitive Aqueous Emulsions", of *M.W. Eknoian*, published as United States Patent Application Publication No. US2004/0186222 A1 on September 23, 2004, and is identified as a *Publication* on the attached *Form PTO-1449*.

A copy of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/564,531, filed May 4, 2000, entitled "Ion-Sensitive, Water-Dispersible Polymers, A Method of Making Same and Items Using Same", of *F. Lang et al.* is also included herewith. This application was originally listed as a *Publication* on both the *Information Disclosure Statement* filed May 5, 2006 and on *Form PTO-1449*.

If any fees are due in filing this *Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement*, please charge said fee to our Deposit Account No. 50-0935.

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